IN THE CLAIMS

1.   (currently amended) A video signal processing system for producing an output signal suitable for coupling to a display device to produce a displayed image, the video processing system having a supervisor control system which permits the supervisor to temporarily modify the limits <u>for at least one profile</u> by entering an override comprising one or more revised ratings, spending, view time limits or specifically permitted programs, which stores completed overrides in memory, and which allow stored overrides to be recalled.

2.   (original) System according to claim 1, which displays a list of stored completed overrides and permits the supervisor to create a new temporary override by modification of the selected, previously used override.

3.   (original) System according to claim 1, which displays a list of currently active temporary overrides, including the corresponding time periods, and completed overrides.

4.   (currently amended) System to control viewing or recording of television programs according to ratings, spending, and/or viewing time limits defined by a supervisor <u>for at least one profile</u>, wherein the supervisor can elect to temporarily modify the limits s according to an override comprising different limits, and wherein the system stores expired overrides and causes them to be displayable for future selection by a supervisor.

5.   (original) System according to claim 4 further wherein the supervisor can name sets of override parameters and select the expired sets of override parameters from a list which includes the names.

6.   (currently amended) Method for blocking viewing or recording of television programs which are outside a range selected by a supervisor <u>for at least one profile</u> comprising (A) receiving ratings, spending, and/or view time limits <u>for at least one profile</u> from a supervisor, (B) receiving one or more overrides from a supervisor

which specify one or more permitted television programs, one or more permitted channels to be unblocked for one or more specific time periods, modified view time limits, or a revised ratings range for one or more specific time periods, and (C) upon expiration of the time period for an override, storing the override for later recall.

7.   (original) Method according to claim 6 wherein the previously used overrides are displayed in a list of active and expired overrides, and expired overrides can be selected and modified with respect to time period by the supervisor.

8.   (currently amended) An apparatus which is programmed to normally block viewing of programs or recordings outside ratings and/or other limits entered by supervisor for at least one profile, to permit or block viewing of programs according to temporary overrides) instructions entered by the supervisor, and which stores sets of expired temporary override instructions for said at least one profile and displays the sets for reuse by the supervisor.

9.   (original) Apparatus according to claim 8 wherein a given number of the most recently expired sets of temporary overrides are automatically stored.

10.   (original) Apparatus according to claim 9 wherein the number is ten.

11.   (original) Apparatus according to claim 8 wherein the sets are displayed when the supervisor responds to on-screen display menu prompts and enters an override routine.

12.   (original) Apparatus according to claim 8 wherein displayed sets of currently active overrides and expired overrides are displayed in a single on-screen display lists.

13.   (original) Apparatus according to claim 12 wherein the supervisor has the option of automatically sorting the single on-screen display list according to status or according to expiration time.

14.   (currently amended) A system for producing an output signal for display on a display device, said system including a supervisor control system for selectively restricting display of said output signal comprising:

a) means for generating a restriction signal for selectively restricting display of said output signal;

b) means for generating an override signal for temporarily overriding said restriction signal and thereby allow display of a restricted output signal;

c) means for storing said override signal, and

d) means for recalling said override signal, wherein upon completion of said temporary override, said override signal is stored in said storing means for later use temporarily blocking a restriction signal.;and

e) means for implementing at least one access control profile.

15.   (previously presented) The system in claim 14 wherein said restriction signal restricts display of said output signal based upon at least one of a rating of said output signal, cost limits for display of said output signal, and time limits for viewing said output signal.